

AUGUST 28.....1869.

LOCAL MATTERS.

MAJOR DUFFIELD arrived with his family from California yesterday.

From Mr. Davis, who arrived last Wednesday, by his stage, from Mesilla, we learn that a party of Indians attacked a train at Soldiers' well, killed a man and wounded a mule. Unable to take the train they attempted to capture the stage, but without success.

CHARLEY BROWN has just received from California and erected in his ample hall two fine billiard tables. The boys can now find at Charley's any and every species of recreation which may be met with elsewhere in the Territory.

Flooding:—A letter from Florence says that the bottom lands between Sacaton and Black River, are almost impassable to wagons. The rain has so flooded this section that several wagons have been obliged to make a circuit to Blue Water in passing to and from the Gila ranches.

The new road between Florence and Camp McDowell has been presenting a very lively appearance during the past three weeks. Trains laden with barley for the post are constantly passing over the road.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS:—Gov. McCormick has forwarded to the postmaster in this city several (quart) packages of wheat. It is said to be of a very superior quality and presents, indeed, a very good appearance. Farmers wishing to give it a trial can have packages by calling at the post office; it is furnished without money and without price.

This city is thronged with strangers this week. We attempted to find out the name and residence of each, but the undertaking was so much greater than we had anticipated that we gave up in despair. There are men from Chihuahua, Magdalena, Guaymas, San Francisco, San Diego, San Bernardino, Prescott, Mesilla and El Paso; they have all got mines on the Green, but will soon have a portion of the same in their pockets if they continue to carry on prospecting energetically.

Shot Him:—Charles Keating, well known in this town as a book-keeper, a teamster and a lover of whisky, met with his death near Apache Pass, last week. It appears, as the story has been told us, that Keating, under the influence of liquor, undertook to abuse Lieut. Walcott making threats against his (the Lieutenant's) life; the latter believing that Keating was as desperate as he proclaimed, himself, and wishing to bring matters to a close shot Keating dead.

ANOTHER SALE:—The deed on file with the County Recorder, from Dr. Tiedman to Major Macomber, for half his interest in the "Harris Lode," at Apache Pass, shows that the Doctor bought in good time. Major Macomber has been at Apache Pass during the entire working of the "Harris Lode" and is probably as well informed of its promising prospects as any man could be. It certainly speaks well for the mine that one who has watched its movements so closely should be willing to risk(?) his money in it.

GEN. DEVIN arrived from Prescott on Tuesday evening, accompanied by Lieut. Winters. The people of Tucson feel justly pleased at the return of the General, by whose judicious arrangements in carrying on hostilities against the Indians, so much was done for Southern Arizona during his brief stay in Tucson only a few months ago. If Gen. Devin and the officers at present acting under him be left with us, and troop furnished for them to command, Indian annoyances will gradually decrease until the few Apaches who shall remain will be glad to accept even the most rigorous terms of which mercy may be an acknowledged part.

It is rumored that Col. Green has returned from his White Mountain expedition after having killed and captured some 22 Indians and destroyed several camps together with a considerable amount of property consisting of cooking utensils, implements of war, and various articles of clothing. The statement made by us, last week, relating to the discovery, by Col. Green, of a party of three Americans who live with the Indians, is quite reliable. Not having heard the particulars in the case of this unexpected meeting we are inclined toward

the belief that these renegade wretches must have kept at a safe distance and made their presence known only by their voices. If it had been possible for the Colonel to take them we think it entirely probable that he would have done so. The means by which they contrive to live thus must be evident to any person having even the slightest knowledge of the Apache character. Their presence in such a position can well account for the plentiful supply of arms and ammunition which the Indians of this region are known to possess; were it otherwise they would not be permitted to live a single day.

MINING:—Latest accounts from the Apache Pass mine report everything going on vigorously. Several miners are constantly at work taking out rock. The lead, at its present stage of exposure, presents the same characteristic observed two weeks ago—that it becomes wider and richer as it slopes into the earth. Mr. Arnold—connected with the McPherson discovery—examined some specimens of the rock brought from the Pass and pronounced them surpassingly rich. He thinks it to be by far the best mine ever opened in the Territory; which, when we consider the many mines that have been, or which are at present being worked, is saying much indeed. There can be very little doubt as to the justice of Mr. Arnold's opinion, in this respect; of this, all who have any knowledge of mines may convince themselves by calling upon Mr. Lyon who will be happy to submit several specimens to their examination.

ARRIVAL:—Another arrival from Prescott, last week was the unperishable "Brigham." Hereports "nothing doing in Prescott." He did not see a cent while there except in one instance in which he caught a passing glance at a \$2 greenback brought thither by himself: he purchased some little thing and passed over his greenback to pay for it, according to the custom of Tucson; but judge ye of his discomfort upon receiving, instead of Uncle Sam's "shin-plasters," a handful of scraps of leather, each bearing the imposing inscription "25cts." which the obliging shop keeper informed him was his change. In vain did the astonished Brigham remonstrate, so putting his leather into his pocket he took a bee line to the nearest whisky shop where he passed off his last bit of cultivated cow-hide and then, stimulated by a sharp appetite, with no prospects of finding anything to eat, struck out for the South.

The mining party who left this place last week, to search for the "coming mine," returned at the end of four days, their stock of provisions having given out. The cañon in which the mine is said to be located was reached and found to be flooded with water, from the recent heavy rains. The party had therefore no other alternative but to return, which they did with the utmost dispatch, arriving in town on Sunday. But let it not be supposed that they returned with the intention of giving up the project—that would be a mistake. They recruited for two days, when, taking ten days' provisions and a few necessary tools and instruments, they started forth again on Wednesday morning, determined to find the mine even though they should be obliged to ford the torrents which rush down the cañon at several points. Unless, indeed, that the rain continues to fall without intermission there can be little doubt but that a party so determined will meet with more or less success.

TUCSON, A. T., June 1st, 1869
Mr. R. Platt of Tucson, is hereby appointed our agent for the transaction of all business connected directly or indirectly with transportation of Government stores from Tucson Depot to all posts dependant upon it for supplies.

HINDS & HOOKER.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. G. Gaige, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given, by the undersigned Administrator of the above named Estate, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at his office, in the Town of Tucson, County of Pima, and Territory of Arizona, within twelve months from the Date of this Notice.
Tucson, A. T., August 6th, 1869.

CHARLES H. MEYERS, Administrator.

EDWARD PHELPS, M. D., Tucson, A. T.

OFFICE on the Plaza, opposite the Catholic Church.

WILLIAM ZECKENDORF, Tucson, A. T.
AARON ZECKENDORF, Albuquerque N. M.
LOUIS ZECKENDORF, No 19 Day St. N. Y.

A. & L. ZECKENDORF
WHOLESALE

AND
RETAIL DEALERS

IN
FOREIGN and DOMESTIC DRY GOOD

CLOTHING,
LIQUORS,
CIGARS,
BOOTS,
SHOES,
HATS & CAPS
CARPETS
MEDICINES,
TOILET ARTICLES,
FANCY ARTICLES,
VINO del PAIS
del RIO ABAJA
PINONES & Co.

NEW MEXICAN CARPETS and BLANKET

We have on hand and are constantly receiving a full assortment of Every class of goods suitable for this market, which we offer on the most reasonable terms. One of our firm resides in New York City for the sole purpose of buying goods, and being in market constantly. Our merchandise is purchased on the most advantageous terms. Those Who deal with us can rely upon our stock being of the best quality and at the lowest prices. We would call the attention of merchants from this Territory as also from Sonora, to our well assorted stock especially suited to their market, and can confidently say it will be to their advantage to examine it before purchasing elsewhere.

HIGHEST
MARKET PRICES

PAID FOR
ARIZONA
AND
SONORA
PRODUCE.

Produce of Arizona and Sonora, taken on commission and sold to the best advantage for those who favor us with their confidence.

A. & L. ZECKENDORF
Tucson, A. T. April 1, 1869
F. M. HODGES,
MAIN STREET
TUCSON, A. T.
KEEPS constantly on hand a large supply of the best brand of Liquors and Cigars.
Jan. 1st, '69]

CASH STORE!

I. GOLDBERG & CO.
North-east corner Main and Vine Sts.
TUCSON, A. T.

Have just received a new stock of Summer and Fall Goods embracing a general and complete assortment of DRY GOODS,

—consisting of—
HATS and CAPS of every description and adapted to every season,
CLOAKS
SHAWLS

BOOTS
SHOES
SLIPPERS
LADIES' FANCY AND DRESS GOODS,
PRINTS
MUSLINS
DELAINES, ETC., ETC.

—also—
A large stock of Old Rye Whisky and the best California Wine and Brandy.

—likewise—
A large stock of Groceries—BUTTER HONEY, CHEESE and DRIED FRUIT which we offer for sale; wholesale and retail. We adhere to a cash system and sell our goods remarkably low for cash.
Jan. 1st 1869.

P. R. Tully, Esteran Ochoa.
TULLY & OCHOA.
Main Street, Tucson, A. T.

HEREBY give notice to their friends and the public generally that they have received direct from the East a full and complete stock of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, &c. and are prepared to sell at as reasonable terms as any merchants in the Territory. Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.
Jan. 1st 1869.

TAKE NOTICE!
NEW GOODS!
DIRECT FROM NEW YORK
We would respectfully announce to the people of Tucson and vicinity, that we have on hand a large and well assorted STOCK OF MERCHANDISE GROCERIES, &c., also, best EL PASO WINE and VINEGAR, which we offer for sale at the lowest figures.

H. LESINSKY, & CO.,
East side Main Street Tucson, A. T.
Jan. 1st '69.

SOUTHERN OVERLAND
U. S. MAIL.
And Express Line From Mesilla
N. M. to Tucson, A. T.

THE undersigned will run a weekly two-horse buggy between the above points, connecting at Mesilla, with stages for Santa Fe and the East, El Paso, and San Antonio, Texas; and at Tucson, with the Los Angeles and San Diego Semi-Weekly Stage Line, and the Weekly line for Hermosillo and Guaymas, Sonora; making a connected stage line for any point in the United States on the Pacific or Atlantic slopes of the continent, and points in northern and central Mexico.

Particular attention paid to Express matter and comfort of Passengers.
The company are responsible for all Express matter sent by their line except against Indians and high water.
Buggies leave Tucson and Mesilla every Sunday at 4 o'clock, p. m.
C. H. LORD, Passenger and Express Agent,
Tucson, A. T.

2.3c. DAVIS & BARELLA,
La Mesilla, N. M.

E. N. FISH, S. SILVERBERG
Tucson, San Francisco
E. N. FISH, & CO.,
West side, Main Street, Tucson, A. T.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
General Merchandise,
We keep constantly on hand the largest and most general stock of goods in the Territory south of the Gila.

Are constantly receiving fresh supplies of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Groceries Provisions, Hardware, Liquors in Bbls. and cases, Cigars and Tobacco, &c., &c., which we are offering at exceedingly low prices.
Jan. 1, '69.

SHAVING, HAIR CUTTING AND SHAMPOOING
Done after the most approved styles.
Jan. 12, 1869. SAML. BOSTICK

CHAS. H. LORD W. W. WILLIAM
LORD & WILLIAMS.
HAVING just brought on from New York fresh and CHOICE STOCK OF MERCHANDISE, are offering the same very cheap for cash. Look at our goods and prices.
Jan. 1, '69.